Docket No. 278971US2PCT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Patrick POUTEAU, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/552,898 GAU: 1797

FILED: October 11, 2005 EXAMINER: EDWARDS, L.E. FOR: BIOCHIP WITH INDEPENDENT RECOGNITION AREAS AND OPTICAL

FORMAT AND FLOAT SCANNING THEREOF

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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It is hereby requested that a <b>three</b> month extension of time be granted to July 5, 2010 for				
filing a response to the Official Action dated:				
responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:				
filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due	has been timely filed.			
responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:				
filing an RCE. A timely response to the final rejection is filed herewith.				
iling an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:				
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.				
The required fee of \$1,110.00 is being made by credit filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any furt Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> .	card payment online (if electronically her charges may be made against the			
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Respectfully Submitted,

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